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MEMORANDUM

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FROM: Nicholas Bishop NB

Director, Grants and Special Projects

DATE: October 26, 2016

SUBJECT: Employee Dislocation Notification

Kmart Chattanooga

Local Workforce Development Area 5 obtained information regarding a closure at Kmart Chattanooga which is effective December 11, 2016. The total number of affected workers is 30-40 which does not meet the threshold for an official state or federal WARN requirement. This company is located at 5380 Highway 153, Chattanooga, TN 37343. The information was received by the Tennessee Department of Labor & Workforce Development's Dislocated Worker Unit on October 25, 2016.

The employees at the facility are not represented by a collective bargaining agreement. The local Department of Labor and Workforce Development Rapid Response team has made contact with the employer.

If you need additional information or have questions, please contact the Dislocated Worker Unit at (615) 741-1031.

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